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Notwithstanding there have been heavy advances in almost every line of manufactured goods which we sell, our stocks of Dry Goods, Clothing, Shoes, &c., are still complete, and all bought before the advances, and we are still selling them at old prices, many goods lower than last year. We invite an inspection.

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R. T. TYLER,
REAL ESTATE
AND INSURANCE AGENT.

Special attention given to the selling of Real Estate of all kinds; and represents a full line of the best and most reliable Fire Insurance Companies doing business in the State, and that "Old Reliable" MUTUAL BENEFIT LIFE INSURANCE CO., that has already paid out largely over \$100,000 Life Insurance in Hickman and vicinity, and is issuing the cheapest and best policy of any regular Life Insurance Company doing business in this country. He solicits your patronage. Call and see him.

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HICKMAN BANK
HICKMAN, KENTUCKY.
Established in 1866.
Paid Up Capital \$50,000.00

SUPPLES AND ENDED PROFITS \$10,000.
Solicits your business. We offer the most Liberal Accommodation to our Customers Consistent with Established Banking Principles.

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R. T. TYLER, C. A. HOLCOMBE, J. NAYLOR, W. H. BALTZER,
J. W. COWGILL, W. L. McCUTCHEON, M. B. SHAW.

Mr. Jorgenhauser
Used to Worry

Because his advertisements in the local papers didn't seem to attract attention—didn't draw a crowd to his store and help him to sell goods.

NOW HE DON'T WORRY

Why? Because he has found that he can get fifty first-rate ads., shock full of suggestions, the best that are appearing in his line in newspapers the country over for a dollar—and that with their help it is mere play to arrange ads which fill the bill to a "T." You can do the same. All lines. Send a dollar to

AD SUPPLY BUREAU.

8 Devonshire St., Room 24, BOSTON, MASS.

DR. S. K. DAVIDSON H. F. REMLEY,
Dentist. Attorney-at-Law. Office up-stairs, Holcombe Building.

HICKMAN, KENTUCKY. Office over Cowgill & Cowgill's Drug Store.

Fancy Groceries and

Provisions.

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FREE DELIVERY.

Telephone—Store No. 94; Residence, No. 96.

Will practice in all Courts of the State.

LOCAL NEWS.

No school to day.

Don't forget the Bazaar.

Most things come to those who hunt while they wait.

Take your Hides, Furs and Game to

SHAW & SHAW.

The golden rule, as revised to date,

Do others or they'll do you."

The wife of D. Flournoy died at

Faducian, Thursday.

A Lodge of Knights of Pythias was

organized at Fulton, last week.

Loftus, 210 Main Street, 25¢ at the

General Store. Ross & Naylor.

Mrs. Jno. Ford, of Fulton, is visiting

her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Herk

week.

Mr. Jno. W. Cowgill is sick with

typhoid fever, but reported as doing

nicely.

The C. P. congregation at Fulton is

taking steps to build a new church

house.

Mr. Robins and sister, of New Madrid, are guests of the Misses Paris, come

to attend the ball.

A boy would rather follow in the footsteps of his father than his mother, because she is a widow.

Honesty and straightforwardness will

prevail. Buck's is the place that cuts

the price on solid gold and good jewel-

ry, no trash.

One goes off on time, the other as

soon as possible and good claim about an equal number of visitors.

Service at the Methodist Church

Sunday at 11 o'clock a. m., and 7 p. m.

by the pastor, Rev. J. H. Evans.

A number of young people from

Fulton, Union, Woodland Mills,

Woodland, and other points, attended

the Thanksgiving Ball at the new

Leedle, last night.

Don't think of buying your Christmas Goods until you see Berendes' big

stock opening next Monday, Dec. 4th.

The professional classes are busy making up for the annual meeting next Friday, Dec. 2nd; so wait to buy your Christmas presents, and see their fancy

things inside.

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CURRENT TOPICS.

A MANILA cigar company has 10,000 employees.

NORFOLK oyster shuckers at Norfolk have organized.

WOMEN are not permitted to be photographed in China.

THE CROWN COLLEGE, England, reports a plague of frogs.

The second city of the British empire is in Calcutta.

The German army includes more than 1,000,000 Americans.

Frogs and toads are gifted with a remarkably acute sense of hearing.

GEN. LAWTON, in a recent interview, declared himself a total abstainer.

The copper mines of upper Michigan are giving employment to 15,500 men.

CAGNOO has the smallest, but led in-debtedness of any large city in this country.

THE HORN KNUFF, the gunmaker, has the largest income of any manufacturer in Europe.

The assessed valuation of property in South Carolina has increased \$5,600,000 in the last year.

The first Hebrew congregation in the Hawaiian islands has just been formed at Honolulu.

Is all the wealth of Europe, except London, now stored up and kept up by government supporters?

THE BARONES HIRSCH has given about \$90,000 toward charity since the death of her husband.

THE CROWN has a system of electric tram lines; it is easy for any one to get about from place to place.

GERMANY now has an air ship that will lift ten tons and remain in the air for several days if required.

THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA is about to confer the degree of LL. D. on President Diaz of Mexico.

A. A. POPE, who made himself a millionaire out of manufacturing bicycles, never learned to ride a bicycle.

The whole of the cheap hosiery in Cuba is in the hands of the German and Catalan manufacturers.

EVERY boy in Germany, from the crown prince to the meanest subject, is obliged to learn some useful trade, and is compelled to be supplied with portable telephones, which may be connected with any fire-alarm box.

A NATURAL soap mine and paint mine are the latest curiosities which have been discovered in British Columbia.

AMERICAN condensed milk is gaining a foothold in the Asiatic markets. It is rapidly transplanting the German product in Japan.

A recent investigation has shown that more than half the families of Stuttgart have only one or two rooms that are habitable.

EMERSON HARRIS JR. escaped from prison at Canandaigua, N. Y., by shooting through a hole seven and a half inches square.

THE marriage of Miss Cecil Miles, daughter of the general of the army and Mrs. Miles to Col. Peter, U. S. A., will occur in January.

BOTTLES of perfume, still fresh, jars of pomade that had not lost its fragrance, and many beauty articles were recovered from Herkulesium and Pompeii.

THERE are altogether 334 parks well stocked with deer in the different countries of England, and deer are found in every county.

BALTIMORE is said to contain the largest Negro population of any city in the world. The coming census is expected to show at least 125,000.

CHINESE dyers threaten to shut the great indigo industry of Bengal, India, where hundreds of thousands of families have found employment.

A WOMAN boxer, special on cards, has made the announcement that half the deafness prevalent at the present time can be traced to the practice of boxing the ears of children.

AND the emu, now in the world comes from the island of New Zealand near Grevillea.

As it is one of the hardest substances known, ordinary quarrying tools can not be used to cut it out.

THE MILITARY household of the czar is composed of 98 officers of various ranks, 92 of whom belong to the army and 15 to the navy. Nineteen members of the royal family are included in the list.

NATURAL gas converged in bamboo tubes was utilized in China years ago, and one of their writers mentions bamboo which repeated the words of bamboo which were used in the machine similar to the phonograph.

PAPEZ shingles have been introduced into Japan by an enterprise Toyo first as substitutes for the wooden article.

The new idea is a slab of thick wood which is more easily managed than ordinary shingles and costing only half as much.

ANOTHER blue grotto, like that on the island of Capri, has been discovered in the island of Skirini on the Ionian Island Zante. The entrance is from the sea and is larger than in the Capri grotto, but the interior is smaller. Fishing boats must make their way in when the water is calm.

THE mounted police of Cape Colony are picked men, used to fighting and proud of the high reputation of their service.

THE total cost of 2,000 enlisted men and 68 officers.

THE most curious place in the world is the Alhambra, in Spain. It was originally a fortress, so great in extent as to be capable of holding 40,000 men. It was begun in 148 and finished in 1514.

INDIANA does \$50,000,000 in its annual valuation through a law made by the last session of the legislature, which permits the valuation of all property, up to \$700, from the tax duplicate.

TWO SERVICES.

Day of the Late Vice President Hobart Consigned to Mother Earth.

Rev. Dr. Maggie Pastor of the Church of the Reformer, delivered a short funeral sermon—interment in Cedar Lawn Cemetery.

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 23.—Vice President Hobart died at 8:30 a. m. Tuesday. The family and physicians were at Mr. Hobart's bedside when he expired.

The vice president had been failing since late Monday afternoon, although the reports given out at the house were that he was holding his own.

At midnight he became unconscious and died at 8:30 o'clock this morning, having an attack of angina pectoris, from which he never rallied.

PATERSON, N. J., Nov. 25.—The clay of the late Vice President Hobart was consigned to mother earth Saturday.

The services at the house were brief and simple. It was held in the library, which was bawled with flowers, by friends of the deceased president. Mrs. Hobart, with her son, Garrett A. Hobart, Jr., sat near the head of the casket, while near her were grouped the president and his cabinet, judges of the supreme court, the honorary pall-bearers and the immediate friends of the family and the family servants. The Rev. Dr. Maggie, pastor of the church, presided and read a passage of Scripture.

The president, cabinet and supreme court judges, and those present took a last look at the face of the dead, the casket was closed and all that was mortal of Vice President Hobart was carried out to the hearse by members of the senate party.

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INSURGENT TROOPS WILL SCATTER.

Reports of Skirmishes Come From Every Section of the Island of Luzon Along Railroads.

Provinces of Zamboanga, Island of Mindanao, Surrenders to Commander Very of the Castillo, Unconditionally—Local Chiefs Declare Their Loyalty.

MANILA, Nov. 26.—Buenaventura, the brain of the Filipino insurrection, is locked up here in charge of Brig. Gen. Edward R. Williston, the provost marshal. When Tiaras fell, Buenaventura fled northward with Aguinaldo's three-year-old son and an old lady supposed to be the mother of Aguinaldo.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 27.—Secretary Lovett, in a cable to Gen. Alvin W. York stating that the entire province of Zamboanga, Island of Mindanao, surrendered to Commander Very of Castillo, unconditionally, November 18. Delivery of all guns promised. Local chiefs declared themselves loyal.

MANILA, Nov. 27.—The last Filipino council of war held by the retreating leaders of Bayambang, the Northern Philippines, has been occupied by Gen. MacArthur. It was attended by Aguinaldo, Pio Del Pilar, Garcia, Alejandrino and some members of the so-called cabinet. Information has reached Gen. MacArthur from several sources to the effect that the council recognized the futility of attempting further resistance to the Americans and that the United States forces had scattered, and agreed that the Filipino troops should scatter and should hereafter follow guerrilla methods.

Reports of ambuscades and skirmishes come from every section of the country along the railroads. Those districts which were filled with soldiers yesterday are now empty. Company D, 5th Infantry, were foraging beyond Bayambang when 20 Filipinos took them in ambush, killing one and capturing the other three. The Americans resisted for half an hour.

The fight being at Bayambang, Lieut. Fraser, with a squad, followed the retreating Filipinos. The Americans found the body of the soldier buried. They burned the hamlet where the fight took place. Three Filipino riflemen ambushed an American surgeon near Capas. He shot one and the others fled. Between Bamban and Angeles a mine train was fired upon by the insurgents and a spear was stuck into the body of an American who was with the train was shot.

At Malabig the officials who welcomed the Americans were murdered. This was the only railroad town which the Americans did not garrison and on the night the troops withdrew a band of insurgents entered, dragged Antonio Mejia, president of the town, from his bed and shot him. The murderers then assassinated the vice president and five members of the town council in the same manner and told the frightened natives who witnessed the slaughter to spread the news that a similar fate awaited all friends of America.

Military activity continues in every section. Capt. Holt's regiment has advanced from Bayambang upon Mangataram where it is supposed there is a large insurgent force. Two battalions of the newly arrived 28th Infantry have been sent by Casco to Bacoor to reinforce the south line.

Maj. Spence, with 50 men of the 2d regiment, surprised a village near Mangataram during the night, and attacked the place at daybreak, capturing a Filipino captain and 13 men with seven rifles.

The latest news from Gen. Young is that there are ten cavalry men and 300 Macabees with him, most of the horsemen having started having been compelled to do so because their horses failed them.

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Aguinaldo's mother, in her flight, got lost in the woods and was seized by natives who were unfriendly to Aguinaldo. Gen. Wheaton reports that his men surprised the woman's captors and rescued her from them. Her young grandson was also taken, but the exposure, lack of food and fatigue consequent upon the flight of the fugitives caused the death of Aguinaldo's baby. It died at Bayambang.

Tommy Way Gets the Decision. NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—Tommy Way was given a round over Frank G. H. known as the Haslam Coffee Co., at the end of the fourteenth round of what was to have been a 25 round bout to catch weights before the Broadway athletic club Friday night.

Opposed to the Seating of Roberts. LACROSSE, Wis., Nov. 26.—Congressman J. J. Esh, of this city, has declared himself opposed to seating Congressman Roberts of Utah.

POLITICAL SITUATION.

It is Believed Some Important Move is to Be Made by the Goodell Side Early This Week.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Nov. 27.—A quiet Sunday brought a lull in the political situation to all outward appearances. There was no significant development from the Goodell side, and though Goebel and his managers remained in conference during the day, there was a general impression outside that some important move is to be made by the Goodell side early this week and it is generally supposed that a mandatory injunction suit to prevent the election of electors from the vote of Jefferson Davis and Johnson county will be part of it. It is not this confirmed by any one in authority. It is doubtful if Gov. Bradley would recognize Goebel as governor if given a certificate of election by the state election board unless his action was in obedience to a ruling of the supreme court, and it is believed he would resist no further, but advise Taylor to contest before the legislature. Neither Bradley, Taylor, nor any other republican leaders believe the court of appeals, in the face of the decision in the Nelson county case, would sustain his action, and were Sunday more confident than ever that the state election board will give Taylor a certificate of election. In Taylor's circles it is claimed that two of the three state commissioners, Ellis and Pryor, will vote to stand by the vote in every county as it appears on the face of the returns.

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The Democratic Leader is Ready and to the Point with a Repulsive Interrogator.

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ALLIANCE.

Germany, England, the United States.

It is already claimed in some circles that a treaty of alliance between England, Germany and the United States, has been formed, but whether it has or not such is the manifest drift of the relations of these countries. Russia, France and the Latin States, are said to be in alliance as against England, and the National hostility of France against Germany drifts Germany to the side of England. The United States, heretofore has held aloof from any foreign alliance, our country preferring to confine our operations to affairs on this side of the waters and to our own internal interests. This in substance, was the meaning of what is known as the Monroe doctrine.

A treaty of alliance with England and Germany it is said, means offensive and defensive, that is that the United States is to help them in case of war with other countries, and they in turn are to help us. These three nations acting together can conquer the world and divide it up to suit themselves. However, is it best for the welfare of humanity?

Indignation Meetings.

Democrats have held indignation meetings at Paducah, Mayfield, Bardwell, and other points in the State, denouncing Governor Bradley for the use of the militia on election day, and demanding the impeachment of Judge Toney, of Louisville, for interference with the election of

Just Saved His Life.

It was a thrilling escape that Charles L. Moore, of Weston, O., lately had from a frigid death. For 18 years he has lived long trouble constantly growing worse until it seemed he must die of consumption. Then he began the use of Dr. King's "cure," and late in 1897 wrote: "It gave instant relief and effected a permanent cure." Such wonderful cures have for 45 years proven its power. Dr. King, Chittenden and Lung troubles. Price 50cts and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed. Trial bottles free at all drug stores.

JUDGE JONES, of Glasgow, who ordered the vote certified to W. P. Taylor to be counted for W. S. Taylor is not only a democrat and supporter of Goebel, but he succeeded Goebel on the state central committee.

The report comes from Washington City of a great shortage in army chapskins in the Philippines. There was never an army of a civilized nation with fewer spiritual advisors. In all there are less than ten in the service there. Where are the missionaries? Here is a field for them.

The papers were filled with a fake about Admiral Dewey. It was stated the Mr. K. C. Williams, in one of the departments at Washington, was preparing to sue him for breach of promise of marriage. The woman came forward and denied the story.

If the reports of the criminal courts of the State of New York must be taken at their index, it is safe to say the crime is on the decrease in the United States. In 1897 there were 4,623 convictions, as against only 3,267 in 1898. This shows a decrease of 596 or nearly twenty per cent.

GOV. BRADLEY issued a call for a special election, to be held Dec. 18, to elect a successor to the late Congressman E. E. Sibley. Some of the opponents, complaining that the date fixed gives them too little time to hold a convention and nominate a candidate. There are numerous candidates already in the field.

A REACTION in favor of Admiral Dewey has set in and he is receiving many messages assuring him of good will and support in his efforts to avert a civil war. The secessionists, who were critical of the severe criticism that had been heaped upon him for the transfer of his house. The city of Chicago has renewed its invitation to the Admiral to be in that city on the next anniversary of the battle of Manila, and he has accepted.

LOCAL NEWS.

For a good guitar at Buck's.

The City Council will meet in regular session Monday night.

—some people have a chance and they'll take the other half.

Farmers, with your produce at W. B. SHAW'S Big Store.

—When other commodities go up feather beds are still down.

—It is easier to get footing than breaking from a rich girl's father.

Buck is getting in new Jewelry every day.

—Figures are convincing, but they do not always persuade a man to pay his bills.

—It is the absent-minded man who now finds dollar bills in the pockets of his coat.

—Go to Schlecker's for Holiday Goods—Watches, Clocks, Rings, Jewelry, &c.

—A number of Fultonton were in the city Monday attending the preliminary trial of Moon for killing Goudsby.

—Not all men are ready to quit when the wind up their work for the day. The clock dealer is one of the exceptions.

—Berendes' opening of Christmas Goods will take place next Monday, Dec. 4th. Don't miss it.

—The store building and contents of Dods Bros., at Doodsville, Miss., was destroyed by fire on Saturday night, \$10,000 and dollar and part insurance.

—Heavy soled Boots, as soft as Kid, for \$3.50. RICE & NAYLOR.

—The editor has had a new and good offer for his paper, a young lady of our town. Guess who? She expresses a desire for Sam Clark to remember her.

—With author's permission, other epidemic of the grip, and warn everybody to take care of themselves. A little grip will go a long ways with the fellow that had it once.

—Don't forget to attend the grand opening of Christmas Goods at Berendes' Book Store.

—Ed Brown, the gifted and versatile newspaper man of Columbus, was married last Tuesday, to Miss Cora Nicholson, of Bardwell. Here's to you and yours, Ed, and may you live long and prosper.

—That great American bird, the turkey, is now in greater demand than any other specimen of the feathered tribe. It's a most delicious dinner without a tinge in the estimation of the average American citizen.

—Schlecker has just received a fine assortment of Holiday Goods. See him before buying.

—A Hartshorn, Mo., editor, who believes in the right of self-government, is to prefer living in a small town where the people will sympathize with us in trouble, and if you haven't any trouble, you'll have it.

—Master Harry Miller, entertained six of his little bachelor friends at his home last Saturday eve, it being his eighth birthday. The dining was pronounced by each as "mighty nice, and turkey gravy, Harry, may you have another happy soon.

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—The blood and thunder reports that have prevailed about the Kentucky election have proven, so far as we are able to judge, of excited and lying imagination, and have caused us to believe to no more sensational reports.

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Railroad Time Table.

N. C. & St. L. R. R.

LEAVES ARRIVES

Train No. 53 at 9:30 p. m. Train No. 52, 7:15 a. m.

Train No. 53 at 2:30 p. m. Train No. 4, 2:30 p. m.

Local and Personal.

Shaw's for Shoes.
Shaw's for Harness.
Shaw's for Clothing.
Shaw's for Groceries.
Shaw's for Hardware.
Shaw's for Queenware.
—Don't forget the Ladies' Bazaar next Friday.

—Bob Tyler left Tuesday night for Tyler, Mo.

—Good Kid Boot for \$2.

RICE & NAYLOR.

—Mr. L. D. Peeler is in Nashville, this week.

—Herman Bondurant is visiting Metropolis, Ills.

—Buck's repair work is gaining daily on Watches, Clocks, &c.

—Mrs. H. T. Emerson has returned from Helena, Ark.

—Carman Hughes, of Union City, spent Sunday in the city.

—Brand new Christmas stock at Buck's.

—Miss Light Farris is visiting Mrs. Jeannette, of New Haven.

—Jake Avery, of Alpine, White left this week for Dawson Springs.

—For undressed Lumber of all kinds, apply to SHAW & WILLIAMS.

—Mrs. T. T. Swaine will entertain the Embroidery Club to-morrow evening.

—Rev. E. K. Bransford, of Columbus, is the guest of Mrs. M. P. Fuqua.

—By buying your Holiday Goods at Schlesinger's you will save money and get first-class goods.

—Miss Mattie Travis has gone to Nash-ville to visit relatives for an indefinite time.

—Henry L. Amborg left Saturday night for Lexington, Va., to attend school.

—Go to Berendes' opening next Monday and make your selection of Christmas presents. Don't wait.

—Misses Gladys, White, Celina Shaw and Mand Avery are visiting at Water Valley.

—Miss Mora Haskins has returned to Memphis after visiting relatives in Hickman.

—10 cents for solid silver Thimble Backs. The largest and best assort'd stock in the city.

—Messrs. Brooks Jackson and Green were down from Union City, Monday.

—Mrs. Jno. Brock, and daughter, of Greenfield, Tenn., are guests of Mrs. L. A. Stover.

—The nicest line of Holiday Goods ever brought to Hickman will be on display at Berendes' next Monday.

—Misses Lena Dodd, Ada Kuykendall, Ora and Belle Mayes are visiting Duquoin, Ill.

—Lucy Bondurant has returned to New Albany, Ind., after visiting relatives near town.

—Miss Farris leaves this week for an extended visit to Paducah and Woodville, Ky.

—Miss Nettie Hertweck, now of Fulton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Hertweck, this week.

—Miss Allie Dodds, who has been visiting relatives at Clarksville, and Dodson, Tenn., has returned home.

—Mrs. Dr. Bailey left for her home in Louisville this week, after a month's visit to her aunt, Mrs. R. E. Miller.

—LOST. At the Woodland Mills Barbecue and Confederate Reunion, gold rimmed double lens spectacles. Return to the Courier office.

—My Holiday Goods are now open and ready for inspection. Call and see before buying elsewhere.

CHAS. G. SCHLESINGER.

—Mr. Jim Williams, a well-known and hardworking farmer, who lived at Hickman, died Saturday, Oct. 27, at his farm, and was buried Wednesday day. He leaves a large family to mourn his death.

—The Fero Herd brought down 6,000 head of corn from Kentucky for shipment to the N. C. & St. L. railroad. This is only the beginning of the immense corn trade over this road from the Mississippi river.

—The entire stock of the best quality wine goods in Kerr & Kau's store must be sold regardless of cost, at Buck's.

—Chas. Alexander and Miss Julia Samuels were married near Clinton, Tennessee. Chas. was the election and one can consider it the authority of the court. May every manner of happiness and prosperity attend them.

—Sime Waches, Rings, Jewelry, &c. Fine Watches, Christmas Gifts, at Schlesinger's Jewelry Store.

—Mr. F. D. Dunaway, representing the State Agricultural Bureau, was at the court house Monday, to appoint, to add to, and to alter a County Farmers Society, but the Moore-Goldsbury trial being in progress, and absorbing attention, he did not speak.

—R. W. Buck's the manager of the well known and fine gold goods, at price never before so low. A complete treatment to all at Buck's. He will show you the jewelry and cut the price.

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Tragedy at Fulton.

John Moore Kills Flave Goldsby.

A fatal encounter between Flave Goldsby and John Moore, two postal clerks, at Fulton, Friday night last, resulted in the killing of Mr. Goldsby. The two quarreled about duties as to their position, one or the other failing to go out with the mail on a certain day, and the failure reported to the Department, an investigation was instituted, and which one was to blame was the trouble. The two men in the Postal Clerk's Room, no others present except the sheriff, followed resulting in the killing of Goldsby.

The evidence in brief was that Goldsby called Moore a liar, that Moore kicked Goldsby, and that Goldsby then struck Moore, knocking him down, and that while in this attitude, Moore shot, inflicting three wounds, two in the face and one in the neck, either one of which would have proved fatal. Judge Kearny, after hearing the evidence, decided to hold Moore for trial at the Circuit Court on Monday at \$1,000.

On Wednesday, Moore gave a required bond, and was released to appear at the January court. Public opinion differs, as is general in such cases, in this instance, Moore will be indicted for murder when this grand jury meets in January.

—For undressed Lumber of all kinds, apply to SHAW & WILLIAMS.

—Mrs. T. T. Swaine will entertain the Embroidery Club to-morrow evening.

—Rev. E. K. Bransford, of Columbus, is the guest of Mrs. M. P. Fuqua.

—By buying your Holiday Goods at Schlesinger's you will save money and get first-class goods.

—Miss Mattie Travis has gone to Nash-ville to visit relatives for an indefinite time.

—Henry L. Amborg left Saturday night for Lexington, Va., to attend school.

—Go to Berendes' opening next Sunday and make your selection of Christmas presents. Don't wait.

—Misses Gladys, White, Celina Shaw and Mand Avery are visiting at Water Valley.

—Miss Mora Haskins has returned to Memphis after visiting relatives in Hickman.

—10 cents for solid silver Thimble Backs. The largest and best assort'd stock in the city.

—Messrs. Brooks Jackson and Green were down from Union City, Monday.

—Mrs. Jno. Brock, and daughter, of Greenfield, Tenn., are guests of Mrs. L. A. Stover.

—The nicest line of Holiday Goods ever brought to Hickman will be on display at Berendes' next Monday.

—Misses Lena Dodd, Ada Kuykendall, Ora and Belle Mayes are visiting Duquoin, Ill.

—Lucy Bondurant has returned to New Albany, Ind., after visiting relatives near town.

—Miss Farris leaves this week for an extended visit to Paducah and Woodville, Ky.

—Miss Nettie Hertweck, now of Fulton, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Hertweck, this week.

—Miss Allie Dodds, who has been visiting relatives at Clarksville, and Dodson, Tenn., has returned home.

—Mrs. Dr. Bailey left for her home in Louisville this week, after a month's visit to her aunt, Mrs. R. E. Miller.

—LOST. At the Woodland Mills Barbecue and Confederate Reunion, gold rimmed double lens spectacles. Return to the Courier office.

—My Holiday Goods are now open and ready for inspection. Call and see before buying elsewhere.

CHAS. G. SCHLESINGER.

—Mr. Jim Williams, a well-known and hardworking farmer, who lived at Hickman, died Saturday, Oct. 27, at his farm, and was buried Wednesday day. He leaves a large family to mourn his death.

—The Fero Herd brought down 6,000 head of corn from Kentucky for shipment to the N. C. & St. L. railroad. This is only the beginning of the immense corn trade over this road from the Mississippi river.

—The entire stock of the best quality wine goods in Kerr & Kau's store must be sold regardless of cost, at Buck's.

—Chas. Alexander and Miss Julia Samuels were married near Clinton, Tennessee. Chas. was the election and one can consider it the authority of the court. May every manner of happiness and prosperity attend them.

—Sime Waches, Rings, Jewelry, &c. Fine Watches, Christmas Gifts, at Schlesinger's Jewelry Store.

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MARRIED.

CURLIN—CARPENTER

The many friends of the young couple were happily surprised Sunday morning, by the marriage of Dr. Charles Curlin and Miss Clara May Carpenter, daughter of Mr. Wm. Carpenter. The young bride is a social favorite in Hickman, young, bright, pretty and worthy and the bride-groom a most worthy and promising young physician. Judge H. M. Kearny performed the ceremony that united them in the holy bonds of matrimony. May the choicest blessings of life be their portion.

MILAM—MCGEE

Prof. Tom Milam, president of the Welch High School at Dukedom, and well-known in this city was married, yesterday morning, to Miss Mabel McGee, at Union City. They were in Fulton yesterday afternoon en route to their home in Dukedom, where they were tendered an excellent supper at the home of Mr. Milam.—Fulton Leader.

A MEASURING PARTY.

What promises to be a very popular form of amusement this coming winter is what is called a "measuring party."

A dainty little leaflet is sent out, to which is attached a small silked card, one side for the gentlemen, and one for the ladies.

The leaflet can be hand-painted by the hostess, or one of those pretty embossed cards can be used.

On the back of the leaflet is written in golden letters: "A Measuring Party," and on the inside the following doggerel:

A measuring party is well to you;

It is something new as well as new;

The invitation is in the sack;

For use in sending or bringing back;

It's good for every foot you're tall;

Measuring up and down, all the tall;

An extra cent for each individual;

And thereby show how high you live,

With mirth and game, refreshment and fun;

We will meet one and all at our party

of measure.

The recipient of one of these leaflets and silicon bags, if the invitation is accepted, is to be paid, as much as

peascods as he or she is feet high, and an extra cent for every inch extra.

The tall gentleman and the lady receive the same amount.

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A SENATOR'S LETTER.

Peruna as a Nerve and Cataract Tonic the Talk of the World.



Hon. W. V. Sullivan, U. S. Senator from Mississippi.

Hon. W. V. Sullivan, United States Senator from Mississippi, in a letter recently written to Dr. Ferguson from Oxford, Miss., says:

"For some time I have been a sufferer from catarrh in its most insidious stage, so much so that I became alarmed as to my general health. But, hearing of Peruna as a nerve and tonic, I gave it a trial and soon began to improve. Its effects were distinctly beneficial, removing the annoying symptoms, and was particularly good as a tonic."

"I take pleasure in recommending your great product to all who are Peopled, as the best I have ever tried."

"W. V. Sullivan."

Peruna cures catarrh wherever located. Peruna has no substitutes—no rivals. Insist upon having Peruna. Address the Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, O., for a free book on catarrh.

GUIDED BY INTUITION.

Woman Jumps at Conclusions Without Resorting to Logic.

W. W.

"I begin to think there is no limit to man's intuition. It frequently enables her to read the thoughts of others. I am sure and strikes me as pecuniary is the fact that this same intuition projects her knowledge into the future. She is a woman of great veracity with things to come as with things past."

"Let me illustrate. When the copper market was so active I put in hours every day studying quotations, and I was continually outwitted. As a result of a conclusion reached by this careful method I invested \$300 in copper stocks, and I was very glad to let go with a loss considerably larger than my original investment."

"The next day, however, and in the enjoyment of prophetic riches I had told my wife of my intentions, and she thought she was right to expect when the deal was closed. It gave her the speculative fever and she began to wonder what the market meant. A market report is Greek to her. She could not understand it, and she had the data and a slate and pencil. Yet she came to me with \$100 and asked me to take her into the market and to let me buy P. Q. M. shares. I smugly told her that they were not to be had, and that she should as well invest in a dry oil well or a sunken ship. But her mind was made up. I thought the market was to be had, and I told her I observed."

"There she was, took a sudden jump to the surface of everyone and she cleared \$200. 'Men don't seem to have any business sense,' she said. 'I am a woman, and I can see the market for every quick money, but a stupid man would never see it.'

"Her husband, a small time broker who had been talking dashed to the floor a 15-cent cigar had just lit.—Detroit Tribune."

Surely a Dream.

The rich, talented, handsome stranger prostitutes himself at the feet of the beauties in the laundry.

"How many?"

"Am I dreaming?" the young girl asks herself.

She has not long to remain in doubt. For she presently spares the rich, talented, handsome stranger, and makes him a balmier to her when she had plighted her troth.

This, of course, makes it a catch that she is dreaming.—Detroit Journal.

Suspension.

Stranger—Do you know a man around here by the name of Brown?

Man in the Room—Er—no man?

Stranger—Well, I never met him. I am an attorney and a rich relation of his.

Man in the Room—Well, right in. Do you know the new gas collector?

Stranger—Oh—State Journal.

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Doors and Windows, Shingles & Lime and Cement, Builders' Hardware, Paints, Oils, etc.

ESTIMATES CHEERFULLY FURNISHED.

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Hay, Oats, Corn, Bran, etc., etc.

L.P. & W.S. Ellison

No Tripartite Alliance.

The German newspapers are largely displeased because the Emperor is on a visit to his grandmother, which is pretty good evidence that the feeling toward Great Britain is, by no means, cordial. The occasion is seized to talk about an alliance between Germany, the United States and Great Britain to be parties. There does not appear much reason why the German editor should distress themselves on this subject. Such an alliance is in the highest degree improbable at this time.

But little more than twenty-five years ago the site on which Birmingham, Ala., was founded was practically an uncultivated plantation. Now Birmingham is one of the busiest and most prosperous cities in the country, and its population is increasing rapidly.

It is the opinion of a German economist that the use of the ordinary slates by school children tends to produce short-sightedness. As a substitute he recommends pen and ink or an artificial slate with black pencil. The latter have been introduced in some of the German schools.

The State Board of Health held a meeting last week and decided to quarantine the town of Uniontown, alleging that there are several hundred cases of mumps in the town. A resolution was passed setting forth stringent regulations for the purpose of stamping out the disease, which Secretary McCormick says, has been epidemic there for several months.

The Convention of the Western Water Power Association, including 500 delegates representing sixteen States, which was recently held at Memphis, Tenn., went on record unanimously in favor of the fullest development, by federal authority, of the Chicago drainage channel as a navigable water link connecting the great lakes and the Gulf of Mexico. Cairo, Ill., was selected as the place for the next meeting.

Very few people realize the amount of correspondence received by the President of the United States. It is said from good authority that he receives over 12,000 a day. Eighty per cent of them never reach the eye of either the Chief Executive or his private secretary. They are sorted by the clerks under the direction of Private Secretary Porter, and sent to the proper departments for attention. The last sorting of the letters ask for financial assistance. The next largest pray for the President's assistance in purely personal matters.

A SURE CURE FOR CROUP.

Twenty-five Years' Constant Use Without a Failure.

The first indication of croup is hoarseness and in a child subject to that disease it may be taken as a sure sign of the approach of an attack. When this occurs it is usually a rough cough. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given as soon as the child begins to cough, it will prevent the attack. It is used in many thousands of homes in this broad land and never disappoints the mother. We have yet to learn of a single instance in which it has not proved effectual. No other preparation can show such a record of success. It is a safe medicine without a failure. For sale by Cowgill & Cowgill, Hickman, and A. M. Shaw, State Line, Druggists.

The State Election Commission meets to-morrow (Saturday) to canvas the returns of the recent State Election. A number of contests will be before the Board, but the general belief is that the certificate of election will be issued to Gen. Taylor and the Republican nominees, and that Taylor will be inaugurated Governor on Dec. 12th.

Don't Believe It.

Senator Debolt, after spending a day at Frankfort, left last night for another trip to Washington, and some of his friends are hunting darkly that President McKinley may be asked to declare martial law in Kentucky and seat Taylor by force. In the event that Goebel secures a certificate of election, the scheme further contemplated securing control of the Legislature and the re-election of Senator Lindsay in case he will aid their plans. Democrats laugh at the story.

Paid Dear for His Leg.

B. D. Blanton of Thackerville, Tex., in two years paid over \$3,000 to doctors to cure a Tumour on his leg. Then they wanted to cut it off, but he cured it with one box of Bucken's Aronica Salve. Guaranteed to cure. Price, 35¢ a box. Sold by all druggists.

To KILL HIS CHANCES.

There is some reason to believe, and it is openly charged in Chicago, that the scurrilous attacks on Admiral Dewey were prompted by men who desire to eliminate him as a presidential candidate in the next election. Every effort is made to every contingency. Most Americans took Dewey at his word when he said that his talents did not run in the direction of politics and that the best an administration headed by him could promise was well-intentioned mediocrity.

THE WORLD'S END PREDICTED.

November 15th past was expected by an immense number of persons throughout Germany to be the Day of Judgment and the end of the world. So serious was the delusion that the director of the Berlin Observatory, thought to be the most respected authority on the signs and presumably the delusion, issued a declaration to the effect that November 15th would be found like other days, a declaration which the calendar has now confirmed. Experience in our own country shows, however, that when one date of prophecy fails another is taken up. The world is not yet lost, and the delusion slowly wears its influence. That no doubt will be the case in Germany, and in sustaining the world's reputation for stability the prime of astronomy to the country bids fair to have his hands full for some time to come.

Killed by a Train.

Jesse Hogg, a Mayfield negro, was run down and killed by a passenger train last night. He was in the act of crossing in front of the car opposite to the one in which he was struck and known down the track, ran over him, severing his head and arm from his body. Physicians were soon summoned and the negro was sent to his home in Mayfield last night, where he was buried to-day. Fulton Leader, 27th.

As a cure for rheumatism Chamberlain's Pain Balm is gaining a wide reputation. D. B. Johnston, of Richmond, Ind., has had a strong case of this all winter. In speaking of it he says: "I never found anything that would relieve me until I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm. It is like nothing else. My foot was swollen and paining me very much, but one good application of Pain Balm relieved me. For sale by Cowgill & Cowgill, Hickman, and A. M. Shaw, State Line, Druggists.

—There is nothing like macking a noise. There never was brass band that couldn't draw a crowd, but many a modest man of extraordinary capacity has walked the streets for years unaccompanied. You can't go into a fine stock—fresh and up-to-date—but if you don't imitate the brass band, make a noise with your few coins and be making quick sales while you are figuring on your losses. It is all in getting people coming to your way.

—T. H. Terry, arrested at Paducah, recently, for committing forgery in Illinois, was conducted and carried to the Louisville jail, where it was discovered that she was not a man but a woman. She had plead guilty to the charges of forgery but was sentenced to a term of imprisonment. The reason which she was sentenced was not allowed to receive women prisoners, and besides the paper sentence made a man. Terry's situation brings up legal complications. She now pleads a twin brother was the one charged with forgery, and that she exchanged clothing with him in Paducah and thus he escaped.

—Our exchanges are all coming forward in a very rapid manner, due to the kind of weather we are going to have in this section this winter. Nearly every farmer has one or more horses, and the weather is very indicative of winter weather, and when he comes to town he meets the editor and tells him about the signs of the times and what he is going to do. The editor prints it. A close observation of the columns of our exchanges shows that the present indications are that the winter is going to be a very cold one, and the man who doubts any of these infallible (?) signs is considered by the prophet as little less than insane.

Threatening Dewey.

"Except in one continent, where the Republican papers say the Dewey incident is dead." The intimation is that, should Dewey become a candidate for President of the United States, the incident would be revived to the detriment of the great sailor.

Threats are cowards' weapons even when the power and the purpose to carry them out are present. Everybody indicates that the Dewey incident is dead in every contingency. Most Americans took Dewey at his word when he said that his talents did not run in the direction of politics and that the best an administration headed by him could promise was well-intentioned mediocrity.

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